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Purpose Driven Life*

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I observed that the basic motive for success is the driving force of envy and jealousy!

Ecclesiastes 4:4 (LB)

"You will be a restless wanderer on the earth."

Genesis 4:12 (NIV)

The Bible says, *"What happiness for those whose guilt has been forgiven! ...What relief for those who have confessed their sins and God has cleared their record."*

Psalms 32:1 (LB)

The Bible says, *"To worry yourself to death with resentment would be a foolish, senseless thing to do."*

Job 5:2 (TEV)

The Bible says, *"Well-formed love banishes fear. Since fear is crippling, a fearful life- fear of death, fear of judgment- is one not yet fully formed in love."*

1 John 4:8 (MSG)

I have seen that every labor and every skill which is done is the result of rivalry between a man and his neighbor. This too is vanity and striving after wind.

Ecclesiastes 4:4

"When you cultivate the ground, it will no longer yield its strength to you; you will be a vagrant and a wanderer on the earth."

Genesis 4:12

How blessed is he whose transgression is forgiven, Whose sin is covered!

Psalms 32:1

"For anger slays the foolish man, And jealousy kills the simple.

Job 5:2

The one who does not love does not know God, for God is love.

1 John 4:8

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Jesus said, *“No one can serve two masters.”*

Matthew 6:24 (NLT)

"No one can serve two masters; for either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and wealth.

Matthew 6:24

Isaiah complained, *“I have labored to no purpose; I have spent my strength in vain and for nothing.”*

Isaiah 49:4 (NIV)

But I said, "I have toiled in vain, I have spent My strength for nothing and vanity; Yet surely the justice due to Me is with the LORD, And My reward with My God."

Isaiah 49:4

Job said, *“My life drags by – day after hopeless day”*

Job 7:6 (LB)

"My days are swifter than a weaver's shuttle, And come to an end without hope.

Job 7:6

“I give up; I am tired of living. Leave me alone. My life makes no sense.”

Job 7:16 (TEV)

"I waste away; I will not live forever. Leave me alone, for my days are but a breath.

Job 7:16

God says, *“I know what I am planning for you.... I have good plans for you, not plans to hurt you. I will give you hope and a good future.”*

Jeremiah 29:11 (NCV)

'For I know the plans that I have for you,' declares the LORD, 'plans for welfare and not for calamity to give you a future and a hope.

Jeremiah 29:11

The Bible says, *“God ...is able to do far more than we would ever dare to ask or even dream of – infinitely beyond our highest prayers, desires, thoughts, or hopes.”*

Ephesians 3:20 (LB)

Now to Him who is able to do far more abundantly beyond all that we ask or think, according to the power that works within us,

Ephesians 3:20

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The Bible says, *“A pretentious, showy life is an empty life; a plain and simple life is full of life.”*

Proverbs 13:7 (MSG)

“You, Lord, give perfect peace to those who keep their purpose firm and put their trust in you.”

Isaiah 26:3 (TEV)

The Bible says, *“Don’t live carelessly, unthinkingly. Make sure you understand what the master wants.”*

Ephesians 5:17 (MSG)

He said, *“I am focusing all my energies on this one thing: Forgetting the past and looking forward to what lies ahead.”*

Philippians 3:13 (NLT)

Paul said, *“Let’s keep focused on that goal, those of us who want everything God has for us.”*

Philippians 3:15 (MSG)

There is one who pretends to be rich, but has nothing; Another pretends to be poor, but has great wealth.

Proverbs 13:7

"The steadfast of mind You will keep in perfect peace, Because he trusts in You.

Isaiah 26:3

So then do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is.

Ephesians 5:17

Brethren, I do not regard myself as having laid hold of it yet; but one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and reaching forward to what lies ahead,

Philippians 3:13

Let us therefore, as many as are perfect, have this attitude; and if in anything you have a different attitude, God will reveal that also to you;

Philippians 3:15

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The Bible says, *“Remember, each of us will stand personally before the judgment seat of God....Yes, each of us will have to give a personal account to God.”*

Romans 14:10b, 12 (NLT)

Jesus said, *“I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.”*

John 14:6 (NIV)

“You, Lord, give perfect peace to those who keep their purpose firm and put their trust in you.”

Isaiah 26:3 (TEV)

But you, why do you judge your brother? Or you again, why do you regard your brother with contempt? For we will all stand before the judgment seat of God. For it is written, "AS I LIVE, SAYS THE LORD, EVERY KNEE SHALL BOW TO ME, AND EVERY TONGUE SHALL GIVE PRAISE TO GOD." So then each one of us will give an account of himself to God.

Romans 14:10-12

Jesus said to him, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life; no one comes to the Father but through Me.

John 14:6

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